AT THE CAPITOL HOTEL.

name of Miss F. L. Merton.

shows that he arrived there on

the morning. Friday night Mr. Davis says he met

was done, and he left as desired.

EVIDENCE BEFORE THE CORONER.

lor; it was a large bag, and had a red

shawl strapped around it. At 8 o'clock that night she came back to the

21. I showed him to the parlor,

and told him the lady was not in. The

and 7 o'clock, and on my return to the parlor I saw the lady and an old gen-

tleman coming up the steps. He spoke to me roughly and said, 'Here is a lady that wants a room.' I took her

to Room No. 21. During this time the

young man was in the parlor. When I

returned he said to me that that was

not the lady he wanted to see;

but that he thought it was a young lady

that his sister had been to school with. I went back to Room 21 and told the

that she thought he was the young man

that was to have called for her that

morning, and asked me where he was.

I locked the parlor door that night at 10 o'clock."

The testimony of W. H. Grattan, the fleor-boy, was similar to Hunt's and

The committee to prepare business for the Farmers' Convention, which

Taylor's.

sist of five each:

April 13th.

the action of the convention.

P. M. April 15, 1885.

The above committees to report to

this committee at its next meeting,

The hour for the meeting of the Farmers' Convention was fixed at 7:30

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LAW OFFICERS ON THE TRAIL.

Bunnber-His Great Grief-Interment at Galwace-His Great Grief-Interment at Galwace-His Bre Developments.

About midnight Tuesday night Mr. Charles Madison, father of Lilian Madison; Mr. John Walker, a maternal nucle of the same; and W. H. Madison, a cousin, reached the city from King William county. It was so late that Mr. Charles Madison thought it unnecessary to go out to the almshouse until the next morning, and the party sought quarters for the night.

Early yesterday morning Mr. Charles Madison and Mr. John Walker called on Justice D. C. Richardson at his resi-

Justice D. C. Richardson at his residence on Church Hill, and after a brief cenference they all three went over to the almshouse. Major Charles P. Bigger met the party and led the way to the room in the almshouse used as a chapel, and in which the remains of the woman found floating in the Old reservoir had been resting since last Sunday

The father approached the coffin and stood close beside it while the fid was being lifted. His face indicated the painful emotions that were struggling within bim. The white cloth was gently removed, revealing to the eyes of the sorrow-stricken father a face scarcely less white, save for the bruises on it, than the grave-clothes that co-vered the body. In a voice which quivered with feeling Mr. Madison said:

"That is my poor daughter."

He stepped back to the wall, leaned heavily against it, and placing his hands The scene was an affecting one. What the thoughts of the sufferer were at that

moment will never be known.

After awhile sympathetic words from those who were present, and the necessity for action, caused Mr. Madison to smother his grief and make known his wishes in regard to the remains, the disposal of them being now entirely in

He decided not to take the body back te the old home, but to have it interred in Oakwood cemetery at 3 o'clock P. M. yesterday. At home were a mother, six sisters, and three brothers, and it was thought best to spare them the pain that would be theirs if the remains were taken to

their presence.

A coffin of neater appearance and more elaborate finish was secured, and in this was laid all that was mortal of Fannie Lilian Madison. It was appropriate that the plate upon

the coffin bore the inscription "At Rest," for the resting-places of the body since death had been numerous and frequently disturbed. Later in the day, at the suggestio of relatives, the interment was post-

poned until to-day. HUNTING THE CRIMINAL. Justice D. C. Richardson, who has been very active in his efforts to unfold the mystery surrounding the fate of the unfortunate woman, sent a telegram at Millboro', Bath county. He asked Mrs. Dickerson to send by express, C. O. D., as soon as possible, to Mr. Charles Madison, care D. C. Richard-son, Richmond, Va., the trunk, clothing, and all the property of Lilian Madison. These things will get here per-haps some time to-day, and there may be discovered additional evidence to fix

upon some one the guilt of beguiling Justice Richardson also swore out a warrant against T. J. Cluverius, and Robins for execution. At an early hour yesterday morning these officers left the city for the purpose of exe-

cuting the commands of the warrant. HER HISTORY. tive of King William county, and her parents live a few miles from the courtuse. When a young child she left her parents and went to live with her grandfather and uncle, whose residence was about a mile from her father's. She was born in 1863. Went to school at Bruington Academy to Mr. Joseph Garlick. After having nearly completed parents, where she then expressed a desire to do something to earn her living. tive by the name of John C. Jones, who lives at Millboro', in Bath county, asking him to get her a school. In a short while she received a letter from him, stating that he had obtained a position for her with Mrs. Dickinson, who lives at Millboro'. She accepted the offer, and immediately be-Richmond via the York River road, accompanied by her uncle. Mr. Joseph Walker, and stopped with a relative, Mr. W. H. Madison, No. 912 Twenty-eighth street. This was on the 10th of October, 1884. She remained a few days, and went from here to Millboro' Mr. W. H. Madison says that this is the last time that any of her relatives saw had received several letters from herwhich she said that she was doing well, and was delighted with her home, and

DEAD AT THE ALMSHOUSE. Tuesday morning Mr. W. H. Madi-son went to the almshouse, identified the body as that of his cousin, Miss Fannie Lilian Madison, and afterwards went down to his uncle's, in King Wil-

liam county, and informed him of the death of his daughter. Yesterday morning Police-Justice Richardson had several persons sum-moned to appear at the Police Court that had given in their testimony before the Coroner. These witnesses were exthe Coroner. These witnesses were examined privately in the office of the Police Justice. Among them was Mr. Charles Madison and Mr. Joseph Walker. A reporter had a conversation with Mr. Madison a few minutes after his examination, and was given the following information by him:

Mr. Madison stated that the first information of the death of his daughter was given him by his nephew, Mr. W. H. Madison, and that he had seen the body at the almshouse and identified it

body at the almshouse and identified it as his daughter. He said that T. J. Cluverius, for whom Justice Richardson had issued a warrant, was a young lawyer who lives at Plymouth, in King and Queen county. His daughter and Cluverius were distantly related. They had been from childhood on the best of

but were not looked upon by their ac-quaintances as lovers, for it was known by Miss Fannie that he was engaged to be married to a lady living in the lower where they will be pleased to see their friends and patrons and the public generally.

mb 7-1m F. D. STEGER Secretary.

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Tout were not looked upon by their acquaintances as lovers, for it was known by Miss Fannie that he was engaged to by Miss Fannie that he was engaged to mencing at 8 o'clock. The service is conducted by young men, and the singuistic stop there while attending court. In August last, on his way to the court-been encouraging.

OUR UNION DEPOT.

MAJOR MYERS'S STATEMENT

Mr. Madison, inquired for Lilian, and was informed that she was stopping at Mr. Joseph Walker's; Cluverius went there and remained during that night and the following day. During the day there was no one in the house except an aged lady, who was confined to her bed by paralysis, Lilian Madison, and Cluverius. Mr. Joseph Walker was in the field at work.

At the next term of King William For a long time our people have been ashamed of the railroad depots in this city, and more so perhaps of the Byrd-Street depot than any other. Recently there has been a gleam of hope that the old tumble-down, wretched structure At the next torm of King William County Court Mr. Madison says that Cluverius shunned him. He thought it singular, and spoke of it; for on all other occasions when they met he appeared always glad to see him. last mentioned would be removed and a new building of pleasing appearance take

Yesterday afterneon a Disputch re-porter found General-Superintendent Major E. D. T. Myers, and the followng talk ensued : "Is it true, as I understand, that the

The reporter, after leaving the court-room, went to the Capitol Hotel, and was there shown the hotel-register by Public warehouse lot has been bought by the railroad companies (centreing at Byrd street) for the purpose of was there shown the hotel-register by the proprietor, Mr. Mark Davis, who remarked, placing his finger upon a name that was on the register, "There is what you are looking for." In a small, beautiful hand was written "T. J. Cluverius, March 12, 1885," (Thurs-"Yes, the railroad companies have

for a long time desired to erect at that point a depot which would accommo-date the traffic of the North and South day.) Miss Pannie Lilian Madison arrived in Richmond that night after mid-night, or about 3:30 o'clock, the train having been delayed several hours, and, it will be remembered, registered at the American Hotel under the assumed line, and if possible that of other lines, and to that end have purchased the property you mentioned. You are per-haps aware that these companies own a very large area in the vicinity you mentioned, both north and south you mentioned, both north and south of Canal street and east and west of Mr. Davis says that T. J. Cluverius was in the habit of stopping at his hotel while in the city and remaining Eighth street. Now, in order to prorighth street. Now, in order to provide suitably for the passenger business, a long shed, under which trains can stand while receiving and discharging, is absolutely necessary. Such sheds are now considered the indispensable a day or two at a time. The register 18, 1884; again on November 13, 1884, and January 5, 1885, and lastly, March 12, 1885 (Thursday). On the latter oc-casion his arrival was thought to be be-tween the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock in

adjuncts of a passenger depot."
"What length of shed, Major, will be required?"
"Well, sir, the sleepers that are now-running between New York and Florida him going to his room between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, and that are more than 70 feet in length, and we frequently have four of them on one Cluverius told him to have him called train. Then there are two coaches which cover about 115 feet, two bagat 5 o'clock Saturday morning, as he wanted to take the freight train on the gage- and express-cars covering about York-River road for West Point. This 107 feet, and a mail-car about 60 feet. Add these together and you have 562 Davis described Cluverius as being a quiet, modest young man, who looked feet without the engine and tender. This is, of course, much longer than to be about twenty-one years old, possi-bly older; moustache very light; hair same; face slightly sunburnt, and form of slight build. any front we own uninterrupted by a street. So you see that the shed must cross the street. The shed we propose will extend from a point near the south end of the present old depot clear back The following testimony was given

to Canal street, and there turning at right angles, will continue in an L form to Seventh street."

before the Coroner's jury : H. M. Hunt (colored) : "I am office-"How is the Richmond and Alleman at the American Hotel. About ghany to be accommodated?" 11 o'clock last Friday morning a small yellow boy brought a letter to the hotel for the lady in Room 21. When I took it "By that portion which fronts Canal street. In the inside angle of the L we expect to locate a building the to her room she was eating her breakfast. She read it and wrote an answer, which use of which will be common to the three roads. The approach to it by I delivered to the boy. I met the lady again about 2 o'clock that day. She asked me if I delivered her note. I told carriages, baggage-wagons, etc., will be from Seventh street, through gateways. by which vehicles will enter into a spa-cious court-yard on the west side of this her 'Yes.' She said that she had not received an answer. The boy came back afterwards and gave a note to Mr. vided roomy apartments, waiting-rooms, ticket offices, etc. But all of this de-Joseph Dodson. Six o'clock that evening she told me she was going with her pends upon city legislation." cousin to see some friends. The floor-"Have you any objection to stating servant took a bundle for her to the par-

what legislation you desire?" "Not the least. On the contrary, the companies for which I am authorized to speak desire that full information hotel and was alone, but did not bring upon the subject shall be placed before the public. It being impracticable, as I William Taylor (colored): "I am the night-watchman at the American Hotel. Thursday night the Chesapeake and necessary without interrupting the streets, and the railroad companies be-Ohio train was late, and did not arrive until Friday morning at 3:30 o'clock. I was in the office when the omnibus ing the owners of nearly the was in the office when the omnibus drove up. There were two ladies and tween Canal street and the paper-mill, three gentlemen in it. I took the young lady-Miss Merton-to No. 21. Friday and between Seventh and Ninth streets, we shall ask that these streets be night about half-past 8 I was called to closed, as the public can suffer no inthe office. A young man was there, convenience therefrom." who gave me a card to take to No.

vided for?" "By widening Canal street, which will be under our plan seventy-one feet broad, with a sidewalk, as now, on one side, giving an exceptionally commo

dious wagon-way."
"What about Eighth street?" "Eighth street south of the canal ought in my opinion to be devoted to railroad traffic, and you will recollect that the Richmond and Alleghany railroad is already empowered by law to close it thirty-five minutes out of every sixty, which is really tantamount to a dedication. It seems to me that the interest of the city will be best served by admitting frankly what we all know to be the case—that the neighborhood given up chiefly to the railroads."

"What you say is true, Major, and

when I saw him again and told him what the lady said. He then ask-ed me if she had gone to bed. I Now, when do you expect to take the initiative step towards building it?"
"Why, sir, I have already had an went to her room; she was up. I told interview with the Committee on Streets her the same young man was in the upon the ground. They will give me a further hearing in a few days, when office and wanted to see her. She told me to tell him that she would meet him I shall present to them graphically as there together. That night again about 12 o'clock I commenced to lower the gas pressed to you, and then await their pressed to you, and then await their favorable report to the Council. I am sure there will be no delay in the work light in the room was burning brightly. after the necessary legislation by the Council shall have taken place. I look I rapped at the door, received no re-sponse, opened it, and found it vacant. forward confidently to receiving pas-The young man had a red scarf, and had the appearance of a countryman; would know him if I should see him.

"Suppose you can't get the neces-sary legislation?" "We shall have to content ourselves expedients until more liberal councils

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

meets here April 15th, pursuant to adjournment Tuesday night, met at 10 A. M. yesterday in the Secretary's Mr. William Holt, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Hogan, in King The following resolution was adopted:
Resolved. That the chairman appoint the following committees, to con-William county, after a lingering illness. He was seventy-seven years old. Mr. Holt was born in Connecticut, came here when about forty years old. 1. On organization of the Agricultural and Industrial Convention. and has lived here ever since until about eight years ago, when his health began to fail and he moved to King and increasing the efficiency of the De-partment of Agriculture.

3. To prepare draft of law creating a department of immigration, labor, William. He was a Christian gen theman and one of the founders of the Bainbridge-Street Baptist church. He was for many years superintendent of the Marshall-Mills cotton-factory, and statistics.

4. To submit a plan for one or more which was built during his sojourn agricultural experimental stations.
5. To submit additional subjects for

here. His remains were brought to Richmond yesterday, where they were met by the Masonic lodge of this city of which deceased was a member, and interred in Hollywood cemetery with the honors of the order. Rev. L. R. Thornhill conducted the burial service, assisted by Rev. Thomas Reynolds.

assisted by Rev. Thomas Reynolds.
George F. Cole was before Mayor
Taylor yesterday morning charged with
shooting Lorenzo Day. The warrant
was withdrawn by the plaintiff and the
case was dismissed.

The annual meeting of the members
of the Alert Fire Company will be held
to-night. Officers for the next year
will be elected. A full attendance is

MR. CALDWELL'S CASE.

The Testimony of the Former Clerk of the His Salary.

Yesterday a full meeting of the committee appointed to investigate the affairs in the Auditor's office was held. fairs in the Auditor's office was held. The committee wanted to get at the facts in the case of Joseph W. Caldwell, late clerk of the Supreme Court at Wytheville. He was entitled to draw a salary of \$500 per annum for nine years and did not do it. He left it in the Treasury to offset what he owed the State. When sworn he was saked.

Q. During what period were you clerk of the Court of Appeals at Wythe-

tional Bank of Richmond, dated Octo-ber 28, 1882, that \$3,333.33 was drawn on account of your salary from November 1, 1871, to July 1, 1878, as such clerk. Did you ever collect or authorize the drawing of such a warrant for the collection of your salary?

A. I was never aware that any ary. I never authorized anybody to draw it, unless that authority was conferred by an order referred to in a letter of mine dated November 14, 1878, which refers to an order forwarded in a letter of Mr. Smith to me in regard to my salary. What the contents of that letter to me were I do not now recollect, but my impression is that the order as sent to me by Mr. Smith was altered by me before signing it, with the intention of guarding against its being drawn without being applied to my dues to the Commonwealth. That is all that I recollect about it. I certainly never gave any other authority than that given in that paper.

Q. Please examine warrant No. 7,789, dated September 28, 1883, for \$1,400, drawn by the Acting Auditor on account of your salary as clerk of the Court of Appeals from the 1st of July, 1878, to the 1st of January. 1883, on which is endorsed the check of the Treasurer for the amount on the Merchants National Bank of Richmond, which seems to have been paid by that bank; and state whether you ever authorized the drawing of that warrant or col ected the money upon the check; all you know about it?

A. I never saw this warrant until this morning when it was shown to me. I knew nothing whatever of its having been drawn, and I never got any part

of its contents.
Q. In your deposition heretofore given to the committee by interrogato-ries you have claimed credit by the whole amount of your salary. If it had been drawn by your authority you would not have been entitled to such credit. State whether it was ever so drawn or could have been drawn otherwise than to have been placed to the credit of the amount you owed the State? recollection, and I was not aware of

any attempt to draw it until I saw it in the newspapers some days ago. By Mr. Barton : Q. Was there any other occasion for you to have your

having it applied to your dues?

John Morton, sworn and examined. By Mr. Moon: Q. I here exhibit to you two warrants drawn by R. A. Noel, Acting Auditor of Public Ac-counts, in favor of Joseph W. Cald-well-one dated October 28, 1882, for 28, 1883, for \$1,400-upon which are endorsed checks for the receipt of the amounts of said warrants upon the Merchants National Bank, payable to bearer, signed by D. R. Reveley, Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Please state if you, as assistant the said checks were paid by said bank,

or whether they were paid or not?

A. This check for \$1,400, dated September 28, 1883, bears the stamp of the Merchants National Bank as having been paid the 29th of September, 1883. That is the only evidence I can give on that. I could not say how that was paid. I would have to examine the books. The check for \$3,333.33, dated October 28, 1882, was paid at the Merchants National Bank. The date of the 28th of October is an error. The stamp of the bank on the check is dated the 27th October, and looking for the check to-day, I found the check was paid on that day. It is what we call a " spindle " check-evidence that it passed over the counter, which means that it passed in through the counter and not through exchange. In examing the check-books to find whether a check had been given for it, I find no check for that amount, but under that date I find a check for \$2,000, drawn in favor of William R. Smith on the Third National Bank, New York, on which he paid \$2 exchange. He bought the check, in other words, for \$2, which wealth to do, the presumption being that the difference between the \$2,000

and the check for \$3,333.33 was paid in currency.
Q. To whom was this check for \$3,333.33 paid? recollect that, but I presume Mr. Smith got it, as the \$2.000 check was made

payable to his order. varrants filled in? A. I take it to be Mr. Smith's writing. Q. Do you know his handwriting?

Q. Have you seen him write? ending to these things in the office, and I have seen him write, too, his signature, and know his writing. I should Q. Examine the \$1,400 check and

state whether you see any mark in pen-cil which has been made by yourself which refreshes yourself as having ex-amined the books of your bank in re-gard to it heretofore; if so, state the result of that examination and how this check was paid?

A. I see on the margin of the check the word "cashed," and I recognize it as my writing, and that calls to mind that I have been before interviewed in regard to this matter, and I recollect that there was no check given for this, but it was paid in cash.

and the contrast between those who C. Bangs, appears in the title-role and the contrast between those who trust and those who do not.

There is a great deal of sickness in this city and Chesterfield county—mostly colds and pneumonia.

A force of hands were engaged yesterday filling the holes in the pavement of Hull street.

MR. CALDWELL'S CASE.

C. Bargs. appears in the pavement will be crowded housen no doubt, as the play has a high reputation, not only for its beautiful scenery and mechanical effects, but because the drama itself contains a great moral lesson and has received the commendation of many, and is full of interest from beginning to end.

1. Overture, "Zaide," (Mozart.)
Amsteur Orchestra. 2. Grand Duo,
clarinet and trombone, "Fantasie,"
(Brogialdi.) Messrs. Jardella and Equi.
3. Soprano Solo, "Serenade," (Peladilhe.) Miss Annie Griswold. 4. Potpourri, Gems of Offenbach, (Offenbach.) Amateur Orchestra. 5. "Kinder Sym-phonie," (Haydn.) strings and juvenile Griswold. 7. "Torpedo Galop," (Durege,) Amateur Orchestra.

Q. During what period were you clerk of the Court of Appeals at Wytheville?

A. My recollection is that I was appointed the 20th of June, 1870, and I was in office until the 1st of January, 1883.

Q. It appears from warrant No. 649, drawn by the Acting Auditor upon the Treasurer, and the Treasurer's check endorsed thereon on the Merchants National Bank of Richmond, dated Octo-

Three colored boys (William Epps, Joseph Harris, and Bob Dabney) were arrested and locked up at the Second station-house last night for breaking A colored man named Cary Light-foot was arrested and locked up at the Third police station last night for being drunk and disorderly on the street and beating a woman named Sarah Hatcher.

Hunter and wife against Beach and als., and Cralle against Cralle. Submitted Tuesday.

Stebbins & Lawson against Bruce.

Argued by W. W. Henry, Esq., for appellants and by Major I. H. Carrington for appellee, and submitted.

Police Court. The following cases were disposed vesterday: Richard Stanley (colored), fighting a barber-shop. Discharged.

Minnie Diggs (colored), assault. Case continued. Lucy Johnson (colored), assault. Fined \$1. Samuel Perkins, fighting on street. Fined \$10 and costs.

Martha Scott (colored), assault

Mary Baumhard, vagrant. Sent to Wash, Walker (colored), assault, Dismissed on payment of cost.

James Morton, drunk. Fined \$5.

Briefs and Personals

Rev. Peyton H. Hoge will deliver a lecture on the " Tabernacle," illustrated by a model to be erected in the presence

of the audience, at the Fourth Presbyterian church to-morrow evening. The lecture is under the auspices of the Boys' Society, for the benefit of the Presbyterian church at Williamsburg. The American schooner Georgia, 333 tons, Captain E. G. Coffin, cleared yesterday for Cardenas, Cuba, with 6,660

bundles of dressed hoops, valued at \$6,660, shipped by Pitts & Dorrier. OFFICE OF CITY WATER-WORKS, ? RICHMOND, VA., March 16, 1885,

Messrs. Owens & Minor : Cough Syrup for some months, and think it has done me more good than any other medicine taken yet. My diseases are asthma and bronchitis of long standing. Among the multiplicity of remedies for these diseases I think Dr. David's is the best—a simple remedy, and its components not at all injurious. It gives me pleasure to add my testimony to its efficacy.

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J. L. DAVIS,

Wet Superintendent Richmond City Water-

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Another lot of those very pretty and

cheap Walnut Chamber Suits have ar-

rived. Those who have been waiting can now be supplied by GEORGE P. STACY,

1205 Main street. Now is the time to order your spring suit, while the assortment is large and

you can have a large stock of new goods to select from. E. B. SPENCE & SON,

Northing Like It.—No medicine has ever been known in the South so effectual in the cure of all those diseases arising from an impure condition of the blood as Rosadalis, the Great Southern Remedy for the cure of Scrofula, White Swellings, Rheumatism, Pimples, Blotches, Eruptions, Venereal Sores and Diseases, Consumption, Goltre, Boils, Cancers, and all kindred diseases. Rosadalis, purifies the system, bringscolor to the checks, and restores the sufferer to a normal condition of health and vigor. Rosadalis, the Great Southern Remedy, cleanses the blood and gives permanent beauty to the skin.

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Alexander Dumas contributes to the Curienc an anecdote told him by the late Henri Didier, who was a Deputy under the Second Empire. Didier's father was secretary to the Minister of the Interior at the time when the Duckers de Berri was arrested at Nantea at the end of her attempt to raise the country against Louis Philippe and in favor of her son, the Count de Chambord. The traitor Deutz agreed to sell to the Government the secret of her hidingplace for 500,000 francs, and it was the elder Didier's duty to pay the secondrel for his dirty work. He took his son Henri into the office and said:

"Look well now at what passes, and "Look well now at what passes, and never forget it. You will learn what a lache is, and the method of paying

packets, each of which contained 2000 francs. As Deutz neared the M. Didier made a sign to him to st then, taking a pair of tongs, he ex-tended the packets one after the other into the hands open to receive them. Not a word was spoken; and when the transfer was effected, M. Didier pointed

Wheels Going Backward, [Chicago Herald.]

" Did you ever see a railway train running in one direction while the wheels were going the other?" in-quired a conductor on the Illinois Cen-

"Never."

"Well, down on our Springfield division, between Gilman and Clinton, we had that experience a few days ago. The fall of soft, sticky snow stuck right on top of the rails, warmed a little in the noon sun, and in the afternoon hardened in the cold. We didn't get a train though till near night that day. train through till near night that day.

The rails were two streaks of glistening ice. Up at Pulaski we struck a big grade right at a station where we were trying to stop. The engineer put on the brakes and finally reversed the lever and pulled the throttle wide open. But it was no go. We went down the grade faster than I ever travelled before, with the driving-wheels of our locomotive going backward. It was a three-mile slide. Those who saw us go down say it was the oddest sight they ever saw. I don't want any more

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